

# Executive Proclamation

## State of South Dakota

### Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, South Dakota will celebrate its centennial in 1989; and,

WHEREAS, South Dakota's towns and cities, from the smallest to the largest, are the heart and soul of the state; and,

WHEREAS, Each local community is blessed with a rich history and enduring heritage; and,

WHEREAS, The overall state celebration is blessed with a rich history and enduring heritage; and,

WHEREAS, The community of Ethan has a proud history and a hard-working citizenry willing to develop a centennial celebration that includes:

The Celebration -- Providing entertainment, enjoyment and a boost in community spirit, pride and commitment.

The Heritage -- Bringing local history to life and fostering an understanding and appreciation of the past.

The Legacy -- Providing a road map for the future, a gift of history and heritage to help guide our children and theirs toward an even better life.

WHEREAS, The community of Ethan, being filled with the centennial spirit and the enduring energy of its ancestry, has agreed to step forward proudly to celebrate the century:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby recognize the community of Ethan as an official

#### SOUTH DAKOTA CENTENNIAL COMMUNITY



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Eighth Day of March, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Nine

A handwritten signature of George S. Mickelson, followed by the printed title "GEORGE S. MICKELSON, GOVERNOR".

ATTEST:

A handwritten signature of Joyce Hazeltine, followed by the printed title "JOYCE HAZELTINE, SECRETARY OF STATE".